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March 10 Report Filing

Each candidate (who has not been granted a waiver of reporting requirements) and each political committee (including Principal Campaign Committees, Authorized Committees, and Political Action Committees) are required to file on or before Monday, March 11, 2002, the March 10th Report of Receipts and Expenditures. Note that the March 10th Report must contain receipts and expenditures through and including March 7, 2002.

For your information, all political committees who do not intend to support a candidate during the 2002 Election Year were required to notify the Director of Campaign Finance in writing on OCF Form 12, Notification of Non-Support (see next page), on or before January 31, 2002 of their intent not to support a candidate during the 2002 Election Year. If you did not indicate your intent on or before January 31, 2002, you must file the March 10, 2002 Report. You will be allowed to file the Notification of Non-Support form if the March 10, 2002 Report does not indicate activity supportive of a candidate during this election year.

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About Discloser

This educational outreach publication, coupled with OCF's training seminar program is designed to assist those obligated to voluntarily comply with the laws and regulations which govern office conduct. Discloser is intended to be both informative and responsive to issues and questions, which have been received and addressed by OCF staff. All requests or inquiries should be addressed to:

Cecily E. Collier-Montgomery
Director
D.C. Office of Campaign Finance
Frank D. Reeves Municipal Building
2000 14th Street, N.W.
Suite 420
Washington, D.C. 20009

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| • Filing Deadline for Candidates and Political Committees R&E Report
D.C. Official Code § 1-1102.06(a) | Sunday, March 10, 2002
Monday, March 11, 2002 |
| • Filing Deadline for Citizens Service R&E Report
D.C. Official Code § 1-1102(a) | Monday, April 1, 2002 |
| • Filing Deadline for Senators/Representative Statehood Fund R&E Fund
D.C. Official Code § 1-123 (g)(3) | Saturday, April 20, 2002
Monday, April 22, 2002 |

Director
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Re: Notification of Non-Support

I, _____, Treasurer of

NAME

NAME OF COMMITTEE

hereby notify the Office of Campaign Finance that the above committee WILL NOT SUPPORT ANY CANDIDATES IN THE UPCOMING ELECTIONS DURING THE _____ CALENDAR YEAR.

I understand that a Notification of Non-Support is to be filed each year along with the January 31st Report of Receipts and Expenditures. Filing this Notification of Non-Support waives the filing of all other reports except for the January 31st and July 31st reports.

I also understand that if our non-support status changes within the election year, I must notify the Director in writing, within 10 (ten) days of such change, and that I will be required to file Reports of Receipts and Expenditures on the dates set forth in D.C. Code §1-1102.06, starting with the next required filing date.

Finally, I understand that our non-support status continues in effect throughout the election year, or until the Director has received written correspondence to the contrary.

SIGNATURE OF TREASURER

Subscribed and sworn to or affirmed by me this _____ day of _____
MONTH/YEAR

My Commission Expires: _____

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NOTICE

OFFICE OF CAMPAIGN FINANCE TRAINING SESSIONS

The Office of Campaign Finance will conduct Informal Training Seminars for candidates, political committees and other interested parties who plan to participate in the 2002 Primary and General Elections in the District of Columbia. Training will also be provided for Lobbyists; Treasurers of Citizen-Service and Statehood Programs; and Financial Disclosure Statement Filers. The Seminars are designed to assist participants in complying with the D.C. Campaign Finance Reform and Conflict of Interest Act.

The Seminars will be held on the following Thursdays, from 12:30 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. Participants are encouraged to bring lunch to these "brown bag" sessions.

Location: *Office of Campaign Finance
Frank D. Reeves Municipal Bldg.
2000 14th Street, NW, Suite 420
Washington, D.C. 20009
(202) 671-0547*



Schedule of Seminars:

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| <i>March 14, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Candidates, Political Committees and Citizen-Service Programs</i> |
| <i>April 11, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Financial Disclosure Statement Filers, Candidates, Political Committees and Statehood and Citizen-Service Programs</i> |
| <i>April 25, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Financial Disclosure Statement Filers, Candidates, Political Committees and Citizen-Service Programs</i> |
| <i>May 9, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Financial Disclosure Statement Filers, Candidates, Political Committees and Citizen-Service Programs</i> |
| <i>May 23, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Candidates and Political Committees</i> |
| <i>June 6, 2002:</i> | <i>Training for Lobbyists, Candidates and Political Committees</i> |

Citizens Service Programs Filing Information

All elected officials who have established Citizens Service Programs are reminded to file Reports of Receipts and Expenditures quarterly on April 1, 2002.

Remember that there are monetary limitations on amounts of contributions received and expenditures made by Citizens Service Programs in any one (1) calendar year. No

person may contribute more

than

\$400.00

in cash,

or more than

\$1000.00 in personal property to a

Citizens Service Program in any one

calendar year. A Citizens Service

Program may not accept more than an

aggregated total of \$40,000.00 in

contributions, nor expend more than

\$40,000.00 in any one (1) calendar year

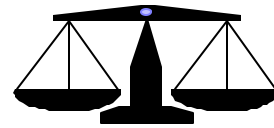
for such program. Contributions by

elected officials to their own Citizens

Service Program are not limited.



The Legal Perspective



District of Columbia Official Code (2001 Edition)

On December 31, 2000, the Council of the District of Columbia, through its delegation of authority to its Office of General Counsel, authorized the publication of the District of Columbia Official Code (2001 Edition). The 2001 Edition has recodified the 1981 Edition of the laws of the District of Columbia. The recodification is not a reconstruction of the Code, but it represents an overhaul of the antiquated, repealed and omitted provisions.

With respect to the “Campaign Finance Disclosure and Enforcement Amendment Act of 2000”, the District of Columbia Campaign Finance Reform & Conflict of Interest Act of 1974 (88Stat.447; codified D.C. Code §1-1404 et seq.) has been renumbered at D.C. Official Code §1-1101 et seq. Please note that the language of the D.C. Campaign Finance Law have not been modified. The derivation table located in the preface of Titles 1 and 2 of the D.C. Official Code 2001 Edition will assist in locating the 1981 Edition cite of the Campaign Finance Laws. The Office of Campaign Finance is in the process of adapting all of its materials to reflect the new numbering